

Homicide by Type of Weapon, 2007

	Type of Weapon	Victims	Percent
Firearms	Firearm	53	7.3
	Handgun	441	60.7
	Other Gun	7	1.0
	Rifle	20	2.8
	Shotgun	10	1.4
Total Firearms		531	73.0
Stabbings		82	11.3
Blunt Instruments		26	3.6
Personal Weapons		24	3.3
Strangulation		7	1.0
Fire		10	1.4
All Other Weapons	Asphyxiation	6	.8
	Drowning	1	.1
	Drugs/Narcotics/Sleeping Pills	2	.3
	Other	37	5.1
	Unknown	1	.1
Total All Other Weapons		47	6.5
Total		727	100.0